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In re application of:

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Group No.: 2855 Examiner: J. Jenkins

For:

A Remote Tire Pressure Monitoring System

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. § 1.191)

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, malest January 21, 2004, finally rejecting claims 11 - 19.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

Small entity

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3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for two months*:

Fee

\$210.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

*Applicant notes that pursuant to Section 706.07(f) of MPEP, the period for reply was June 5, 2004. We are therefore requesting a two month extension as confirmed with Examiner Jenkins.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

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